GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
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INCREASE IN CAPACITY OF DOORDARSHAN TRANSMISSION
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Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING be pleased to state:

(a) whether there have been persistent demand for enhancing the transmission capacity of Doordarshan telecasting centres at Neemuch, Mandsaur and Javara of Madhya Pradesh;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) the action taken thereon?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING AND CULTURE (SHRI S. JAIPAL REDDY)

(a) & (b) : Doordarshan has informed that a request for increasing the capacity o f Doordarshan transmitter at Jaora has been received. However, no such request has been received in the recent past, in repect of Mandsaur and Neemuch.

(c) : Scheme for replacement of the existing 100 watt low power transmitter at Neemuch by 500 watt auto mode transmitter has been approved. At present, there is no proposal to replace the transmitters at Mandsaur and Jaora.